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SUBJECT: CCG SALARY REVIEW

REF: (A) USOECD 14898; (B) USNATO 3539; (C) USOECD 14336;
(D) STATE 85051; (E) C(77)59

1. WHILE THERE MAY BE SOME MERIT, IN TERMS OF RELATIONS
WITH STAFF OF COORDINATED ORGANIZATIONS, IN ADOPTING MORE
FLEXIBLE APPROACH TO SALARY ADJUSTMENTS THAN IS POSSIBLE
UNDER PROCEDURES OF 133RD REPORT, WE DO NOT AGREE THAT
PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES ARE SUFFICIENTLY EXCEPTIONAL TO
WARRANT ACCEPTANCE OF SECRETARIES GENERAL PROPOSALS FOR
A AND L LEVEL STAFF. AFTER CAREFUL CONSIDERATION OF
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SECRETARIES GENERAL PRESENTATION (REF E), US POSITION
REMAINS AS STATED REF (D).

2. WE BELIEVE IT IMPORTANT THAT PRINCIPLES OF 133RD
REPORT BE MAINTAINED INTACT THROUGH FIRST SALARY REVIEW
UNDER THESE PROCEDURES. NEXT GENERAL REVIEW (JANUARY 1978)
WOULD, AS SUGGESTED REF (A), BE MORE APPROPRIATE TIME TO

CONSIDER POSSIBLE DEFECTS IN STATISTICAL SAMPLE (I.E., MORE FLEXIBLE APPROACH).

3. SINCE PROBLEMS RAISED BY SECRETARIES GENERAL -- APPARENT DECREASE IN REAL INCOME OF CIVIL SERVANTS IN ITALY AND UK AND ALLEGED RECRUITMENT DIFFICULTIES -- PRINCIPALLY AFFECT EUROPEAN NATIONALS, WE BELIEVE EUROPEANS SHOULD PLAY LEAD ROLE.

4. U.S. REP MAY APPROVE 140TH (GENERAL REVIEW OF SALARIES) AND 141TH (80 PERCENT COST OF LIVING ADVANCE) CCG REPORTS AT MAY 23 MEETING. CHRISTOPHER

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